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MEMORANDUM FOR: General Counsel

FROM: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: SCC Meeting on Legislative Initiatives

Please stop the letter to Dr. Brzezinski on the SCC agenda for improving intelligence operations if it has not gone out. I have qualms about the last subparagraph in the letter. It recommends changing the criteria from "agent of a foreign power" to the "importance of the intelligence." It seems to me this is directly against what you are recommending to me to the effect that no change in this area was warranted. Even though what we were recommending in this letter conforms with the proposed charter, I had qualms when we acquiesced to that in the charter process and wonder if we shouldn't revisit it. [redacted] 25X1

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